

nise the supreme court of the State of Texas, approved November 30th, 1850;

- An act to incorporate Newbern Academy;
 - An act to authorise county courts to issue unconditional head-right certificates where conditional certificates only have issued;
 - An act for the relief of certain persons therein named;
 - An act to incorporate Church Hill Male and Female Academy;
 - An act to incorporate the Nueces and San Patricio Canseway company.
- All of which said bills were correctly enrolled, and this day submitted to the Governor for his approval.

H. W. SUBLETT, Chairman.

Mr. Sublett, chairman of the committee on Enrolled Bills, reported joint resolution authorising the Comptroller of Public Accounts to exchange certain lots therein mentioned, and joint resolution to erect a tomb over the grave of General Edward Burleson, correctly enrolled, and that they were this day presented to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Bryan, from the committee on Enrolled Bills, reported an act supplementary to an act ceding to the United States jurisdiction of certain lands in this State for public purposes, approved 19th December, 1842, correctly enrolled, and that the same has this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

On motion of Mr. Scott, the Journal of to-day was read and adopted.

On motion of Mr. Newman, the Senate adjourned until 9 o'clock Monday morning.

MONDAY, February 13, 1854.

Senate met pursuant to adjournment—prayer by the Chaplain.

The following Senators answered to their names:

Messrs. Allen, Armstrong, Bryan, Doane, Durst, Guinn, Hill, Holland, Kyle, Lott, Martin, McDade, Millican, Newman, Paschal, Potter, Scarborough, Scott, Sublett and Superviele.

There being no quorum, on motion of Mr. Lott, the Senate adjourned *sine die*.

JAMES F. JOHNSON,
Secretary Senate.

EXECUTIVE JOURNALS

Of the Senate of the fifth Legislature of the State of Texas.

WEDNESDAY, November 16, 1853.

The followign communication was received from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
Austin, Nov. 15, 1853. }

To the Honorable Senate:

GENTLEMEN: I respectfully submit, for the advice and consent of your honorable body, the following nominations, viz:

Granville H. Sherwood—As Commissioner of Fisher & Miller's Colony.

J. C. Smith, Isaac McGary—As Directors of the State Penitentiary at Huntsville.

John D. Brower, Thomas Deckrow, James Duke, William H. Kerr, James Ashworth—As Commissioners of Pilots for Pass Caballo, Matagorda Bay, Texas.

John Butler, Thomas Gonzales, Peter Champion, M. Kennedy, H. N. Caldwell—As Commissioners of Pilots for Brazos St. Jago, Texas.

Notaries Public.

For Anderson county—Allen Watson, S. W. Dalton.

Austin county—Zimri Hunt, J. P. Osterhout.

Bastrop county—John A. Redfield.

Bell county—E. L. Stickney, S. W. Bigham.

Bexar County—Trowbridge Ward.

Brazoria county—William Eckel.

Burleson county—James S. Holliday, James M. Norris.

Burnet county—R. J. Posey.

Calhoun county—Warren L. Thomas.

Cameron county—Darius Bacon, Francis J. Parker, George Dye, Budd H. Fry.